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Applicant(s): Howard E. HUBER, Jr. Confirmation No.: 3033
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For: PUMP SYSTEM FOR PARKING BRAKES FOR A RAIL VEHICLE

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION AND AMENDMENT

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U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Sir:

In response to the official Office Action dated July 6, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendment to the Claims begins on page 3 of this paper.